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SUBJ: GRANT AID TRAINING FY 74/SUDAN: ARRIVAL MESSAGE

REF: A. USCINCEUR ECJ7-QT 5009; B. KHARTOUM 760

1. ARRANGEMENTS HAVE NOW BEEN FINALIZED FOR TRAVEL OF TWO SUDANESE OFFICERS SELECTED FOR ATTENDANCE AT INFANTRY OFFICERS ADVANCED COURSE, FT. BENNING AS PER REF A.

2. IN PROCESS EMBASSY HAS DISCOVERED THAT ERROR WAS MADE BY COMBAT TRAINING BRANCH PEOPLES ARMED FORCES (CTB/PAF) IN TRANSCRIBING NAME OF ONE OF OFFICERS. NAME SHOULD READ MAJOR SAUD AHMED HASSOUN REPEAT HASSOUN INSTEAD OF HASSAN BAS PREVIOUSLY INDICATED REF B. EMBASSY HAS ISSUED AMENDMENT TO ITO MAKING THIS CHANGE, AND WILL MAKE DISTRIBUTION AS PER ORIGINAL ITO. (OFFICERS WILL, HOWEVER, ARRIVE BEFORE AMENDMENT.) EMBASSY REQUESTS THAT SIMILAR CHANGE BE MADE IN BIO DATA DISTRIBUTED SEPARATELY AND TRUSTS DA CAN SO INFORM DEFENSE INTELLIGENCE AGENCY AND US ARMY INTELLIGENCE COMMAND.

3. AS FOR TRAVEL, MAJOR HASSOUN AND CAPT. GARANG WILL DEPART KHARTOUM MAY 21 VIA SUDAN AIRWAYS FLIGHT SD-112 ARRIVING LONDON AT 172; HOURS SAME DAY. THIS LEG WILL BE AT GOS EXPENSE AND AS SUGGESTED REF A SEPARATE TICKET HAS BEEN ISSUED FOR THIS PURPOSE. TWO OFFICERS WILL  
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OVERNIGHT LONDON EVENING MAY 21. THEY WILL DEPART LONDON

VIA PANAM FLIGHT PA-107 AT 1045 HOURS MAY 22 AND ARE SCHEDULED ARRIVE WASHINGTON, D.C. (DULLES) AT 1355 HOURS SAME DAY. OFFICERS WILL OVERNIGHT WASHINGTON MAY 22 AND WILL DEPART MAY 23 FOR COLUMBUS, GA AT 1828 HOURS VIA SOUTHERN AIRWAYS FLIGHT SO-717 DUE ARRIVE COLUMBUS 1958 HOURS MAY 23. THIS LAST FLIGHT NOT YET CONFIRMED. WOULD APPRECIATE DA OR STATE ASSISTANCE IN SEEKING SUCH CONFIRMATION. PLEASE ADVISE.

4. EMBASSY APPRECIATES THAT ABOVE SCHEDULE BY-PASSES NORMAL PORT OF ENTRY, JFK AIRPORT, NEW YORK. CTB/PAF, HOWEVER, REQUESTED THAT TRAVELS BE ARRANGED SO THAT TWO OFFICERS COULD STOP IN WASHINGTON TO ESTABLISH CONTACT AND WORK OUT ADMINISTRATIVE DETAILS WITH SUDANESE EMBASSY THERE. SINCE SUCH CONTACT APPEARED BE EXCELLENT IDEA IN TERMS ANY PROBLEM WHICH MAY ARISE DURING COURSE AND SINCE INTERMEDIATE STOP IN NEW YORK SEEMED NEEDLESS WAST TIME AND EFFORT FOR ALL CONCERNED, EMBASSY PREPARED SCHEDULE AS INDICATED. AS FOR MEETING TWO OFFICERS IN WASHINGTON, SUDANESE EMBASSY HAS REPORTEDLY BEEN ADVISED OF ARRIVAL PLANS. IF EITHER DA OR STATE COULD CONFIRM WITH EMBASSY THAT SUCH MESSAGE RECEIVED, EMBASSY PERSONNEL WILL UNDOUBTEDLY MEET PLANE. ANYTHING MORE WOULD BE NICE, BUT FROM STANDPOINT TWO OFFICERS, RECEPTION BY THEIR EMBASSY WILL BE SUFFICIENT.

5. RE ARRIVAL COLUMBUS, WE HAVE TOLD TWO OFFICERS THAT IT OUR ASSUMPTION THAT WILL BE MET AT AIRPORT UPON ARRIVAL. WOULD APPRECIATE NOTIFICATION OF ALTERNATIVE ARRANGEMENTS IF THAT ASSUMPTION INCORRECT.

6. RE REQUIREMENT PARA 2-9 AR 550-50 THAT THIS MESSAGE CONTAIN REMARK THAT "SECURITY REQUIREMENTS" HAVE BEEN MET, EMBASSY HAS INCLUDED IN ITOS FOR BOTH OFFICERS SUGGESTED SENTENCE THIS SUBJECT AS PER APPENDIX A AR 550-50. WE ARE NOT, HOWEVER, IN POSSESSION AR 380-10 CITED PARA 2-40 AR 550-50 AND THEREFORE UNABLE STATE WITH ASSURANCE THAT PROVISIONS HAVE BEEN COMPLIED WITH. TRUST THIS DOES PRESENT UNDUE PROBLEMS.  
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